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SUBJECT: Demarche Delivered on "Defamation of Religions"

REF: A. STATE 109392  
[1](#)B. STATE 122639

1.(U) PolOff, on December 7, 2009 PolOff met with MFA Americas Desk Officer Ayesha Borland to deliver Ref A demarche and Ref b supplementary documents.

[1](#)2. (U) Borland said the GoB is still discussing the resolution; however, she believes that Belize will abstain when the resolution is presented for a vote. Although she did not disagree with the talking points and USG position on the resolution, Borland cited challenges with voting against the majority of the NAM.

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